

WEEKEND UPDATE

A MAJOR INCIDENT REPORT FROM LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE CHIEF DARYL L. OSBY

July 25, 2011

This report covers major incidents occurring **Out of County** during the period beginning on Friday, July 22, 2011, at 5:00 p.m., until Monday, July 25, 2011, at 8:00 a.m.

OUT OF COUNTY RESPONSE:

Unnamed Incident (Simi Valley / Ventura County): On Sunday, July 24, at 7:26 a.m., a brush fire was reported at Tapo Canyon Road and Walnut Avenue within the State Responsibility Area in Ventura County. In response to Ventura County Fire Department's request for assistance, County Fire deployed one helicopter and one crew strike team (two camp crews and one superintendent), and one battalion chief (agency representative). At 10:19 a.m., the fire was contained at 30 acres. All County Fire resources were released by 6:45 p.m.

OUT OF COUNTY RESPONSE:

Eagle Incident (San Diego County): On Thursday, July 21, at 10:37 p.m., a brush fire was reported in San Diego County; on Friday afternoon, CAL Fire requested L.A. County Fire mutual aid resources for Saturday morning. County Fire deployed four crew strike teams (each crew strike team consists of two camp crews and one superintendent). Additional County Fire mutual aid resources were requested on Saturday evening for Sunday morning. County Fire deployed one additional crew strike team and one CAL-EMA (Emergency Management Agency) engine strike team (five Type III engines staffed by County Fire). As of 7:30 a.m. this morning, the fire has burned 12,500 acres and is 45 percent contained. County Fire resources remain on scene to assist with fire attack operations.

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